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**The Bulletin**

Norwich, Thursday, July 18, 1918.

**VARIOUS MATTERS**

Light vehicle lamps at 7.45 o'clock this evening.  
Crab apple trees about town are loaded with the small fruit.  
Do not forget to pay your water bill—adv.  
A patient from Lower Pawcatuck, Mrs. Thomas Durrell, is at the Backus hospital, Norwich.

Tolland county tobacco growers do not like these July showers, so apt to bring damaging hail with the cold rain.  
Farmers in Lyme are complaining about the poor appearance of potato vines. They look as if blight had come upon them.

Many persons writing to men in the service forget that the name and address of the sender is necessary in sending mail to soldiers.

There was considerable talk Wednesday about dog day weather, although dog days do not begin until Thursday next, July 25th.

After being stopped for several days the clock on Park church is running again. It was put in running order late Wednesday afternoon.

All along the railroad banks the showy and rather coarse Bouncing Bet has begun to bloom, an indication of the height of the summer days.

Soldiers' Comfort Kits at Lee & Osgood's—adv.

The Avery Memorial grounds at Foguonoc are being put in condition for the annual meeting of the Avery Memorial association this month.

Tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday the annual Connecticut state championship trapshooting tournament is to be held with the New Haven Gun club.

For a meeting of the Mystic Country club to be held this evening the committee includes Miss Carrie E. Rogers of Washington, formerly of Norwich.

Poiteeman John Irish, one of the successful Norwich dahlia growers, has about 50 varieties at his home on Laurel Hill, and already July 25 hills are in bloom.

About twenty of the schools in the suburban towns supervised by O. E. Lowell of Norwich are holding half-day Red Cross sessions weekly, to help win the war.

Pay your water bill; additions after the 20th—adv.  
The state recently announced that the personal tax is now being used for state war purposes and since this announcement a number of personal tax delinquents have paid up.

A Rockville man, John Schwartz, charged recently with failing to carry duplicate order slips when delivering coal to customers, pleaded guilty and was fined \$25 and costs of \$14.24.

Many attended a lecture on birds given by Professor Ayer in Amherst Wednesday evening. He not only imitated the songs of the birds but the sounds of the cricket, the toad and the frog.

In some cities about Connecticut there was a shower Monday, St. Switthine's day, followed by a pair of beautiful rain clouds and the weather sages are trying to interpret this unusual sign.

Pay your water bill before the additions go on—adv.

In Connecticut the demand for teachers having normal school training is greater this year than ever before and increased salaries are being offered candidates for teaching appointments.

Some of the Jewish societies held services Wednesday in commemoration of the important fast day of Tisha B'Av, the day that the Jewish people suffered destruction of the temple, 2000 years ago.

A public demonstration in cheese-making by Miss Monroe of Storrs college and Miss Ketcham, county demonstrator agent in home economics, is planned for Friday, July 26th, at 2:30 o'clock in Westbrook town hall.

At the state summer school in Danbury Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 Frederick W. Edgerton, librarian of New London public library, lectured on poetry. Mr. Edgerton read selections of poetry in illustration of his points.

D. Curtis Bernard's office will be closed until August 12th—adv.  
The commissioners of the state board of examiners of embalmers met at the Hotel Heublein, Hartford, on Wednesday. They received reports from the examiners of the state and were elected. Arthur R. Leete of Thompsonville being the choice for president.

Few of his friends were aware that the late Hiram Cook of Norwich had ever attempted authorship. This week Douglas Severin received from Mr. Cook's son, A. H. Cook, of Tacoma, a book of verse written and published by his father.

A former Poncautuck resident, Rev. A. T. Randall, of Meriden, has received a cablegram from his son, John Randall, from London. He was injured recently in an aeroplane accident and has been transferred to a hospital in England.

Wednesday at 10:30 Rev. Richard R. Graham, rector of Christ church, officiated at the service of morning prayer at the Norwich state tuberculosis sanatorium. Rev. Mr. Graham will conduct one more Wednesday service there before vacation.

Tuesday evening Mrs. Delima Pain, niece of Mrs. Fred Chamberlain, resigned after three years as cashier at the City Lunch and will leave for a long vacation in Bristol, Pa. Her associate workers presented her a beautiful old glass fruit dish.

The Travelers' Aid society under the supervision of the local war camp committee service has assigned Mrs. Frances Slater Palmer to duty at the New London union station to direct people arriving in New London where to find suitable lodgings.

Addie Conley, wife of Senator Ray Lewis, died at her home on Block Island Sunday after a long illness. She was born on Block Island March 28, 1844, the oldest daughter of Capt. George W. Conley, for years captain and managing owner of steamer George W. Danielson.

The service flag flying over the entrance to the Norwich office, headquarters of the Norwich County Mutual Fire Insurance company, shows 12 stars for those of the 60 agents about the state who are in the service. There is one gold star, for Paul Ranney of Middletown, who died at camp.

In one of the largest British munition factories where 35,000 workers are employed more than 33,000 are women.

**PERSONALS**

Miss Vera Pinka of Meriden is spending a week in Colchester.  
Maurice Carroll has returned after a short stay at Pleasant View.

John Gleason was a visitor at the home of friends in Montville Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ida Wethered of Providence has returned home after visiting with Mrs. S. C. Jacques.

John J. Kingsley of 5 Huntington avenue, Norwich town, has arrived safely overseas.

Mrs. Frances McNear of Connecticut avenue, New London, is in Norwich for a brief visit.

Miss Helen Gilbert and her cousin, Miss Barbara Davis of Hebron, are visiting friends in Norwich.

James Wheeler has returned to his home in Norwich after spending several days in Niantic village.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Smith and family of Broad street are established at Niantic for the season.

Leo LaFevre of Norwich was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Crutten at Niantic early in the week.

Joseph Williams and a party of friends have hired cottage at Pleasant View for the month of August.

Mrs. Joseph H. Post of North street is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Rogers in Saybrook.

Earl H. Post, son of Mrs. J. H. Post, of Norwich, left Friday to enter the Naval Training station at Newport, R. I.

Mrs. J. P. Stevenson and daughter, Janet, have returned to Wallingford, after a stay of several days in Mystic.

Guests registered at the Hotel Green, Danbury, include Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Crittenden of Woodstock Valley.

Mrs. William Thompson of Montville is spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Hart Hillier, of East Lyme.

Sergeant Henry L. Croker has returned to Camp Bowie, Texas, after spending a few days' furlough at his home on Huntington avenue, Norwich town.

Sidney Blake of Westerly has begun work at the plant of Martin-Rockwell in Norwich, starting in on night work. He has been working on the farm of Dr. John Champlin on the Shore road.

Frank Parker, assistant engineer at the Shore Line Electric power house at Saybrook, has left to report for active service, probably in the Massachusetts detachment at some of the forts.

Lieutenant C. J. Crocker has been transferred and is now instructor in an officers' training camp, Camp Gordon, Ga. The young men in training for officers are mostly from the New Jersey and Maryland National Guard.

**FUNERAL**

**John J. Sullivan.**  
The funeral of John J. Sullivan was held Tuesday morning from his late home at 240 West Main street with a large number of relatives and friends in attendance. People coming from Camp Devens, Boston, Springfield, Bridgeport, New London and other places. The bearers were Sgt. Nicholas J. Spellman of Camp Devens, Joseph Farrell, William H. Harrington, Jeremiah A. Desmond, Eugene J. Buckley and Thomas Slattery. Rev. H. H. Broderick officiating. The solemn high requiem mass at St. Patrick's church. Rev. William H. Kennedy was deacon and Rev. Peter J. Cuny was sub-deacon. Prof. Farrell, the organist, rendered the service. The choir sang. Edward Connelly rendered Face to Face at the close of the mass. Mrs. F. L. Farrell sang a solo at the offertory. As the body was being taken from the church, Nearer, My God, to Thee, was sung by the choir. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker M. W. Houlihan.  
The flowers included: A pillow marked Brother, from the family; standing cross, Daniel Daley; cross, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riley; pillow, Mrs. S. H. Broderick; Mrs. E. H. Broderick; standing wreath, K. O. C. friends; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Buckley of Boston; standing wreath, winders, warpers and quilters of West Side Silk mill; standing wreath, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wright and Baby Francis; standing wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Slattery of Bridgeport; standing wreath, Mr. and Mrs. John Foley; standing cross, friends; wreath, Wright family; standing wreath, from acquaintances; crescent, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Buckley and family; crescent, John S. Nigie; cross, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lamb; wreath, Miss Tracy; roses, Mrs. McManus; standing harp, Prof. Farrell and members of the choir of St. Patrick's church; spray of flowers, Nicholas J. Spellman; Julia and Mame.

**Edward J. Handrihan.**  
The funeral of Edward J. Handrihan was held Tuesday morning from the parlors of a local undertaker with a large number of relatives and friends in attendance. Services were held at St. Patrick's church with Rev. J. H. Broderick officiating. The bearers were Patrick and Lawrence Handrihan, Patrick Quinn, John Handrihan, and Edward J. Handrihan. The interment was in St. Mary's cemetery.  
Mr. Handrihan died last Sunday afternoon after an illness of a little over a month. He was born in Norwich 25 years ago and was married to Katherine L. Hogan in 1905. Mr. Handrihan was a farmer by profession. He is survived by two brothers, Patrick and James, and a sister, Miss Lizzie Handrihan. He was the son of Patrick and Mary Burns Handrihan.

**Coroners' Disbursements.**  
Reports of the coroners of the counties of the state for the quarter, as filed with the comptroller show disbursements as follows: New Haven county, \$3,129.94; Middlesex county, \$928.31; Tolland county, \$312.15; New London county, \$1,975.69; Litchfield county, \$1,723.21; Fairfield county, \$40.81; Windham county, \$659.22.

The reports of health officers of counties for the quarter are as follows: Hartford county, \$55.21; Tolland county, \$144.50; New Haven, \$514.74; Fairfield, \$636.12; New London, \$138.96.

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**MORE MEN IN CLASS 1**

**Physical Examination of Re-Classified Men Have Placed 30 in Line For Full Military Service — Nine Have Been Placed in Limited Service Class—1918 Registrants to Be Examined Soon.**

As a result of the physical examinations of the reclassification men in Class 1, there have so far been thirty-one men qualified for general military service and nine for limited service, and placed in the reclassification class. The advisory board has been conducting examinations for the past week and have examined nearly seventy men. In all about 100 men have been reclassified and placed in Class 1. The examinations of the 1918 registrants will start within a short time and it is expected that at least one hundred will be added to Class 1.  
Conducts has been called upon for 500 men on August fifth and in all probability the Norwich board will have to furnish at least 10 men as their quota. There are at present about thirty-seven men remaining in Class 1 of the old registrants and with the addition of the thirty-one reclassified men there will be a trifling over sixty men and there is also a possibility that the August quota will take some of the reclassified men. There remains about 183 men in the limited service class and the addition of the reclassified registrants there will be 191.  
The following are the most recent additions to Class 1:  
**Full Military Service.**  
650—Dudra Marino, School street.  
775—John Nolan, Taftville.  
825—Harry J. Sullivan, 28 Grant court.  
963—William M. Skelley, West Thames street.  
1580—Chancy House, Versailles.  
2010—Philip Baumgärtner, Taftville.  
2570—William La Morey, Laurel Hill avenue.  
325—William Shabehoff, West Main.  
1325—Frank A. Cilly, 187 Franklin.  
2001—Clifton Moffit, 32 Spring street.  
2058—Henry Richard Taftville.  
2066—Joadoin, Taftville.  
2484—George F. Gardner, 489 North Main street.  
2504—Pasquale Angarno, 54 Lake street.  
**Remediable Class.**  
2477—Gottlieb Halseh, Daniel street.

**LIGHTNING STRIKES LAUREL HILL HOUSE**

Mrs. C. A. Spear Has Narrow Escape When Bolt Hits.  
A bolt of lightning in Wednesday's shower about 5 o'clock A. M. struck the house occupied by C. A. Spear and Frank G. Aubrey at 111 Laurel Hill avenue and entered the building at the northeast corner, doing considerable damage. When the lightning struck Mrs. Spear was in the bathroom in a dressing room at a window. The bolt entered the house with a foot of her, breaking the window pane and tearing off a blind. Mrs. Spear was dazed for a minute, but soon recovered and feels no worse for her experience. The lightning tore away the plaster in one corner of the room and hitting a gas pipe went down through the house into the ground.

**NEW LONDON MERCHANTS TO PREVENT PROFITEERING**

Will Publish Current Prices in Daily Papers.  
A meeting of the wholesale and retail merchants was held in New London Wednesday evening with a view to taking some means to prevent profiteering. The result of the meeting was that a committee was appointed to make plans for publishing a list of current prices in the daily papers at least once a week. This plan has been followed out in many cities. The Bulletin for the past fifty years has followed this plan and has published under the head "Family Market" a list of prevailing prices.

**COLONIAL DAMES ADOPT FRENCH WAR ORPHAN**

Little Lucienne Hollin of France Becomes Charge of Local Chapter.  
A French war orphan has been adopted by the Colonial Dames of Norwich and will be supported by them, according to the war plan. Many organizations are doing this charitable work. The orphan is Lucienne, daughter of Boulogne sur Seine, France, and is a little girl of ten years.

**RENT-A-ROOM CAMPAIGN.**

Local Agencies to Be Established to Care For Industrial Workers.  
Representatives of several Connecticut cities conferred at the state capital recently with the executive department of the Connecticut State Council of Defense and officials of the United States Employment Service concerning the necessity of "Rent-a-room" campaign in Connecticut industrial centers. Francis Mahoney, representing the federal department of labor, outlined the government's plan for surveys in the several cities which will disclose available rooming facilities. It was made clear at the conference that the time has come when, because of inadequate housing facilities, it is the patriotic duty of households to rent one or more rooms, wherever possible, to workers in industrial plants turning out war orders. Suggested plans for making surveys of cities were outlined. The campaign of local agents of the council of defense was assured. The disposal of the rooms when listed, would be in the hands of the several offices of the United States Employment Service, making it possible for those offices to direct an applicant for employment to an essential job and a suitable room at the same time.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

In Honor of Mrs. W. E. Geary's Birthday—Enjoyable Evening Spent.  
Tuesday evening at the home of Prof. and Mrs. W. E. Geary, Mrs. Geary was tendered a birthday party by a number of her friends. The affair was organized by Charles Grayson. The evening was pleasantly spent, selections being rendered by Prof. Geary and William Ferguson and Mrs. Irene Butler and Mrs. Lou Hall. Mrs. Geary was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. A luncheon consisting of veal salad, brown bread, cold cake and coffee and ice cream was served by Mrs. Jennie Moreland. A beautiful cake with Mrs. Geary's age in candles occupied the center of the table. Among those present were Rev. and Mrs. Francis of the McKinley Avenue Baptist church, William Ferguson of Taftville, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hazard, Mrs. Emma Selvey, Mrs. Maria Sylva, Mrs. Irene Butler, Mrs. Lou Hall, Miss Almyra Hall and Mrs. Jennie Moreland. The party broke up at a late hour after a very pleasant evening.

**INCIDENTS IN SOCIETY**

**Two Arrests.**  
The local police had another quiet night on Wednesday only two arrests being made up to 3 o'clock this morning. One arrest was of a sailor who was intoxicated and the other was Harold H. Boone of Somerset, Ky., a sailor, who created a disturbance in a local restaurant.

**Broken Auto Delays Car.**  
The 945 southbound car out of the square was delayed for about fifteen minutes Wednesday evening on West Thames street when a car driven by C. E. Lane broke down on the track.

The worst thing about being a hero is trying to look the part.

**HERBERT BUCHANAN COMMITS SUICIDE BY SHOOTING**

Had Been in Nervous and Despondent State For Some Time.  
Herbert Buchanan of Sixth street committed suicide late Wednesday afternoon in the woods just off Boswell street. St. Joseph's cemetery by shooting himself with a revolver. Mr. Buchanan has just returned from a trip to Hartford and Springfield and left the house with the intention of taking a walk. He has been in a nervous state for some time and despondency is thought to be the reason of his suicide.  
The first that was known of the shooting was that a woman in the vicinity of the cemetery telephoned the police that a man had shot himself. Officer John Casey was sent to the scene of the shooting and found Mr. Buchanan lying on the ground with a revolver and a bullet wound in his head. Medical Examiner Gildersleeve was called and viewed the body, giving Undertakers Cummins and Ring permission to remove it.  
Mr. Buchanan was about 45 years of age having been born in England. He came to this country when a young man and about eighteen years ago was married in marriage with Miss Sarah Macdonald, who survives him with three children. Mr. Buchanan has been employed by the U. S. Fish and Game Service as a sketch maker.  
**DIES IN FRANCE**  
Charles Harvey Setchel, grandson of Charles F. Setchel, a former superintendent of the Central Baptist Sunday school, died on June 24 in one of the French hospitals behind the firing line of pneumonia. Before coming to France Setchel was police reporter on the Denver News and Times and was well known in that city.  
**Caddy Found Missing Rings.**  
Mrs. John Scoville of New York city, who is registered at the Griswold hotel, Eastern Point, while on a trip to Europe, lost a diamond wedding ring valued at \$1,000 and an engagement ring of lesser value. The loss was reported to the hotel management and John Daly, a caddy, was asked to institute a search. He first found the wedding ring and received a reward of \$5. Again Daly went out with other caddies and found the engagement ring. For this find he received another \$5.  
**Given Surprise Party.**  
Tuesday evening the choir of the Universalist church pleasantly surprised Rod C. B. Woodworth at his home on Laurel Hill avenue and spent a delightful evening, rendered many selections to the great delight of Mr. Woodworth who has always taken a great interest in the choir. Light refreshments were served by Mrs. Woodworth. The members of the choir are Charles W. Parsons, tenor, Miss Mary E. Rogers, soprano and chorister, Mrs. George W. Beebe, alto, and Byron Mathieu, bass.

**An Effect of "Work or Fight" Rule.**

Railroad men in this city and surrounding towns have noticed one result of the "work or fight" order. There appears to be a greatly increased number of men trying to steal rides on trains. The deadheads are coming from the north and from New York way. The reason for this influx of loafers is that many of the states have increased the age limit to 35 years while Connecticut puts the limit within the draft age.

**King's Daughters' Picnic.**

Tuesday the Charitable Circle of the King's Daughters held a picnic at Gales Ferry at the cottages of Frank Carey and Charles Hilton. The party numbering 18 left Norwich at 10:40 and returned at 6:55. A basket lunch was served during the day and the ladies spent most of the time in work for the Red Cross. Mrs. H. F. Palmer is leader of the circle.

**Inspector Stopping Autoists.**

Inspector Bradford has been holding up autoists on the Montville road for the past few nights and examining their licenses and lights. He has found several cars which were not properly equipped with lights and has ordered their owners to get proper equipment at once.

**Dr. Bunnell Bequeathed \$5,000.**

Dr. F. S. Bunnell of the N. F. A. faculty who died recently in Canada and bequeathed fifteen millions to Yale university. Dr. Bunnell received a legacy of \$5,000 from the will of his uncle.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED AT ST. MARY'S T. A. B. SOCIETY**

A. J. Caples is Made President of the Society.

Tuesday evening the newly elected officers of St. Mary's T. A. B. society were installed by County Director F. E. G. Douglas, of New London. After the installation County Director Douglas spoke briefly and other members of the society gave brief talks. The officers installed are: President, A. J. Caples; vice president, Walter G. Caples; recording secretary, Romeo Case; financial secretary, Maurice Kelly; treasurer, John Edwards; trustees, Charles McGibney and James J. Casey; directors, William McGibney, chairman, John Donohue, Dennis McCarthy, James J. Casey, Charles McGibney, Thomas White, Gerald McCarthy, Walter G. Casey and Harold Humphrey.

**Jack Carbay in France.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Carbay have received word from their son, John A. Carbay of 60 Boswell avenue, who is with the 392nd Machine Gun Battalion, saying that he has arrived safely overseas.

**Enlists in Artillery Corps.**  
Among the recent enlistments for the 65th Coast Artillery Regiment now forming at Fort Terry, N. Y., at the New Haven recruiting station was Robert Winchester of this city.

**Abandoned Auto.**  
Late arrivals from New London on Wednesday evening noticed a ford automobile abandoned at the top of the foundry hill on West Thames street with a wheel smashed.

**Beautiful Dahlias.**  
The desk in the police station on Wednesday evening was adorned by a large bunch of handsome dahlias, the product of the garden of Albert Christman.

**Eighteenth Anniversary.**  
The Grace Memorial Baptist church has sent out invitations for the 18th anniversary of the church which will be held on next Tuesday.

**Niantic Company Reorganized.**  
The Niantic Menhaden Oil and Guano company of East Lyme has been reorganized with a capital of \$150,000.

**LIEUT. J. M'ARTHUR DROVE DOWN GERMAN AIRPLANE**  
In a Fight Over the Allied Lines Near Dormans.

With the American Army on the Marne, July 17.—(By The Associated Press.) Lieut. John McArthur of Buffalo, N. Y., this afternoon drove down a two seater German airplane in a fight which began over the allied line near Dormans and during which the American pilot flew within one hundred feet of the ground at places where German anti-aircraft and machine gunners abounded. There were several bullet holes in McArthur's machine, fired from guns on the ground. While returning to the American line McArthur encountered eight enemy machines but fought all of them off and landed safely. He had fired 500 shots during his travels.

The machine driven down Wednesday by Lieutenant McArthur is the third to be credited an official victory. The German today were sent down June 25 between Pont-a-Mousson and Thiaucourt and the second north of Chateau Thierry July 2.

**COUNTER-ATTACK BY FRENCH SUCCESSFUL.**  
North of the Marne They Have Retaken Mantouil-la-Fosse.

With the French Forces in France, July 17.—(By The Associated Press.) Evening—The Germans today were throwing their utmost efforts northward on the Marne in the direction of Mantouil-la-Fosse, which fell momentarily into their hands, but shortly afterwards was retaken by the French in a brilliant counter-attack. The situation is generally regarded as excellent for the allies, who, instead of having to meet an offensive on a grand scale, now are being forced to war off only local attacks.

South of the Marne numerous German attacks were repulsed, while the allies in counter-attacks regained some ground north of St. Agnan. Among the allied soldiers the feeling prevails that they have regained the ascendancy over the enemy, and they go forward with the greatest confidence when ordered to carry out counter-attacks, even when their numbers are considerably smaller than those of the enemy.

**HOW GERMAN NEWSPAPERS ARE DECEIVING READERS.**  
Inform Them That Americans Are Not "Honorable Fighters."

The Hague, July 17.—German newspapers received here this morning quite a potter over a story received in Germany from Switzerland to the effect that a large number of American troops have been supplied with sawed-off shotguns for close fighting. The Cologne Gazette, in commenting on the report, denounces American barbarism and assumes that tomahawks and scaling knives will soon appear on the American front. The newspaper warns the German troops that the Americans are not "honorable warriors."

The Weser Zeitung says the barbarous shotguns have been served out not because they are likely to be effective but because the ill-trained Americans cannot use rifles and are badly supplied with machine guns.

**MRS. EDWARD PARKER DEACON DEAD IN ROME**  
Brought Into Prominence When Her Husband Killed a Rich Parisian.

New York, July 17.—A private despatch received in this city today from Rome told of the death there of Mrs. Edward Parker Deacon, daughter of Fear Admiral Charles S. Baldwin of the United States navy. Mrs. Deacon was prominently before the public a number of years ago, when her husband shot and killed in Paris M. Abelle, a rich Parisian, who had been attentive to her.

Edward Parker Deacon, who was a Boston millionaire, later lost his mind and died. Their eldest daughter, Dorothy, married Prince Radziwill.

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Women all over the world are now wearing overalls and "trouser aprons" for outdoor and indoor work. Pattern 2452, here illustrated, furnishes a suitable suggestion for this class of garment.  
It is cut in four sizes: Small, 32-34; medium, 36-38; large, 40-42; and extra large, 44-46 inches bust measure. Size medium requires four yards of 36-inch material.  
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